

Ordinance # 2011-02

**AN ORDINANCE CHANGING AND AMENDING THE POLICE PENSION
ORDINANCE NO. 2004-4, ARTICLE IV, SECTION 4.5(c)
OF THE BOROUGH OF COALDALE**

WHEREAS, on October 9, 2009 Governor Edward Rendell signed into law Act 51 of 2009, and;

WHEREAS, the provisions of Act 51 removes the one hundred percent (100%) killed in service (KIS) and benefits from Act 600 and created a similar but not identical benefits under the Emergency and Law Enforcement Personal Debt Benefits Act, and;

WHEREAS, the Debt Benefits Act creates a one hundred percent (100%) survivor benefit for firefighters, ambulance service, rescue squad members and police officers who have died in the line of duty, and;

WHEREAS, Act 51 mandates the commonwealth's general fund provide a monthly one hundred percent (100%) final salary Killed in Service benefit to a surviving spouse or to dependents if no surviving spouse exists, and;

WHEREAS, Article IV, Section 4.5(c) provides for a monthly payment benefits to the beneficiaries of a police officer who dies due to injuries incurred while performing the duties of his or her employment, and;

WHEREAS, such language is no longer deemed necessary due to Act 51, Ordinance is amended to delete the following:

Article IV, Section 4.5(c) in its entirety and any references to a killed in service benefit contained in said Ordinance.

ENACTED AND ORDAINED this 14th day of June, 2011.

BOROUGH OF COALDALE

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Susan Solt, President

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Louise Lill, Secretary

Richard Corkery, Mayor